

Amendments to the Claims:

This listing of claims replaces all prior versions and listings of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims:

1. (Currently Amended) A kit comprising firstly a lyophilized didemninn preparation ~~comprising water-soluble material~~ and secondly, and separately contained, a reconstitution solution of mixed solvents,

wherein the lyophilized didemninn preparation comprises a didemninn compound and a water-soluble material;

wherein the reconstitution solution of mixed solvents comprises water for injection, ~~and a co-solvent~~ an alkanol, and a nonionic surfactant, wherein the water for injection is present in an amount sufficient to allow solubilization of the water soluble material, and the alkanol is present in an amount sufficient to allow solubilization of the didemninn compound in the lyophilized didemninn preparation; and

wherein reconstitution of the lyophilized didemninn preparation with the reconstitution solution of mixed solvents provides a parenterally suitable preparation.

2. (Previously Presented) A kit according to claim 1, wherein the kit comprises an amount of the lyophilized didemninn preparation that is suitable for the treatment of a tumor in a patient.

3. (Previously Presented) A kit according to claim 1, wherein the didemninn compound is selected from didemnins, dehydrodidemnins, nordidemnins, didemninn congeners and didemninn analogs.

4. (Currently Amended) A kit according to claim 3, wherein the didemnin compound is aplidine.
5. (Cancelled)
6. (Cancelled)
7. (Currently Amended) A kit according to claim 1 6, wherein the nonionic surfactant is 10 to 25% v/v of the solution; the alkanol ~~is ethanol and~~ is 10 to 25% v/v of the solution; and the water for injection is 50 to 80% v/v of the solution.
8. (Previously Presented) A kit according to claim 1, which comprises a vial of lyophilized didemnin preparation comprising a water-soluble bulking agent, and a separate vial of a premix of non-ionic surfactant/ethanol/water for injection.
9. (Withdrawn) A method of preparing a pharmaceutical composition of a didemnin compound, which comprises freeze drying a didemnin/water-soluble additive/alkanol/water mix to provide a lyophilized first component, and separately providing an alkanol/water mix as reconstitution solution.
10. (Withdrawn) A method according to claim 9 wherein the alkanol in the mix is t-butanol.
11. (Withdrawn) A method according to claim 9 or 10 wherein the amount of alkanol in the alkanol/water mix is 25 to 60% v/v.
12. (Previously Presented) A reconstituted pharmaceutical composition comprising:
a didemnin compound;
a water soluble material;

a nonionic surfactant;

an alkanol; and

water for injection[.];

wherein the water for injection is present in an amount sufficient to allow solubilization of the water soluble material, and the alkanol is present in an amount sufficient to allow solubilization of the didemninn compound.

13. (Previously Presented) The pharmaceutical composition of claim 12, wherein the water soluble material is a water soluble bulking agent.

14. (Previously Presented) The pharmaceutical composition of claim 13, wherein the water soluble water soluble bulking agent is mannitol.

15. (Previously Presented) The pharmaceutical composition of claim 12, wherein the didemninn compound is selected from the group consisting of a didemninn, a dehydroididemnnin, a nordidemnnin, a didemninn congener or a didemninn analog.

16. (Previously Presented) The pharmaceutical composition of claim 15, where in the didemninn compound is aplidine.

17. (Cancelled)

18. (Currently Amended) The pharmaceutical composition of claim 12 ~~17~~, wherein the nonionic surfactant is Cremophor EL.

19. (Previously Presented) The pharmaceutical composition of claim 12, wherein the alkanol is ethanol.

20. (Cancelled)

21. (Cancelled)

22. (Cancelled)

23. (Cancelled)

24. (Cancelled)

25. (Cancelled)

26. (Currently Amended) A kit according to claim 1, which comprises a vial of the lyophilized didemninn preparation ~~comprising a water-soluble material~~, and a separate vial of a the reconstitution solution of mixed solvents, ~~wherein the reconstitution solution of mixed solvents comprises water for injection and a co-solvent.~~

27. (Currently Amended) A kit according to claim 1, wherein the didemninn compound is a dehydrodidemninn.

28. (Currently Amended) The pharmaceutical composition according to claim 12, wherein the didemninn compound is a dehydrodidemninn.

Claims 29-49 (Cancelled)

50. (Currently Amended) The pharmaceutical composition of claim 12 48, wherein the nonionic surfactant is 10 to 25% v/v of the nonionic surfactant/alkanol/water for injection mix; the alkanol is ~~ethanol and~~ is 10 to 25% v/v of the nonionic surfactant/alkanol/water for injection

mix; and the water for injection is 50 to 80% v/v of the nonionic surfactant/alkanol/water for injection mix.

51. (Cancelled)

52. (Cancelled)

53. (New) The kit of claim 1, wherein the water soluble material is a water soluble bulking agent.

54. (New) The kit of claim 53, wherein the water soluble water soluble bulking agent is mannitol.

55. (New) The kit of claim 1, wherein the nonionic surfactant is Cremophor EL.

56. (New) The kit of claim 1, wherein the alkanol is ethanol.

57. (New) The kit of claim 7, wherein the alkanol is ethanol.

58. (New) The reconstituted pharmaceutical composition of claim 50, wherein the alkanol is ethanol.

59. (New) The kit of claim 1, wherein the alkanol is 10 to 25% v/v of the solution.

60. (New) The kit of claim 59, wherein the alkanol is ethanol.

61. (New) The reconstituted pharmaceutical composition of claim 12, wherein the alkanol is 10 to 25% v/v of the nonionic surfactant/alkanol/water for injection mix.

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62. (New) The reconstituted pharmaceutical composition of claim 61, wherein the alkanol is ethanol.